

FORTUNATE—STONE &amp; THOMAS.

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## FORTUNATE.

One of the most fortunate deals we have made in our forty-six years' business experience was consummated the past week. You will be fortunate if you take advantage of this great purchase, consisting of 300 pieces, over 15,000 yards

## Dotted Swiss Organdies

AT 9½c PER YARD.

The retail price everywhere for this popular Dress Fabric is 20 cents per yard.

## ANOTHER BIG PURCHASE

OF

## BLACK SILK DRESS LACES

Enables us to offer the following inducements:

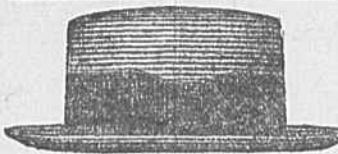
44-inch wide Black Dress Lace at	44c,
Worth 75c.	
46-inch wide Black Silk Dress Lace at	69c,
Worth \$1.00.	
46-inch wide Black Silk Dress Lace at	98c,
Worth \$1.50.	
46-inch wide Black Silk Dress Lace	\$1.24,
Worth \$2.00.	
46-inch wide Black Silk Dress Lace	\$1.48,
Worth \$2.50.	

Ladies' Suits, From \$3.98 to \$25, in Blazer and Eton styles. It will pay you to investigate this department. It will supply your wants at a small outlay.

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STRAW HATS—M. J. M'FADDEN.

## STRAW HATS!



25c For Men, Boys  
50c and Children.  
75c All shapes.  
\$1.00 All colors.  
\$1.50 All sizes.

The largest assortment in the city. Also new colors in Stiff and Soft Hats just opened this week.

## McFadden's One Price Store

Cheapest Store in Wheeling. 1320 and 1322 Market Street.

SILK BUYERS—GEO. M. SNOOK &amp; CO.

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## A GALA WEEK FOR SILK BUYERS!

\$10,000 worth of SILKS, covering every line from A to Z, will be placed on sale MONDAY, JUNE 5, at prices that will create a lively stir. Do you want Silks of any kind? Come and see what we can do for you!

Our banner line—the fine Figured Dollar India Silks—usually sold elsewhere at \$1.25, go this week at 80c.  
35 and 50c Figured India Silks reduced to 75c.  
75c Figured India Silks at 50c a yard.  
One lot Figured India Silks at 10c a yard.  
1 1/2 inch wide India Silks at 70c a yard.  
1 1/2 inch wide India Silks, plain, at 57c, worth 70c.  
25-inch Japanese Changeable Silks at 88c.  
Striped Japanese Wash Silks at 40c, worth 75c.  
25-inch India Silks, plain, at 46c, worth 50c.  
25-inch India Silks, plain, at 57c, worth 70c.  
25-inch Figured Drapery Silks at 40c.  
Plain Silks, light colors, 19c.  
Colored Surah Silks, worth 50c, at 40c a yard.  
Colored Crystal Bengalines, worth 90c, at 60c.

Colored Crystal Bengalines, worth \$1.25, at 80c.  
Colored Crystal Bengalines, worth \$1.50, at 90c.  
Black Broaded India Silks, worth \$1.00, at 84c.  
24-inch Black India, worth \$1.50, at 98c.  
Black Crystal Bengaline Silk, worth \$1.45, at \$1.30.  
Black Bengaline Silk, worth \$1.00, at 70c.  
Five numbers of Black Satin Luxors greatly reduced.  
A line of Satins, light colors, at 30c a yard.  
Fine Novelties in Silks, some at less than half price.  
Remnants of Silk, very cheap.  
Cream Silks for graduates included in our reductions.

No larger Silk stock anywhere in Wheeling.  
No lower prices ever made on desirable goods.

## Geo. M. Snook &amp; Co.

## The Intelligencer.

Office: Nos. 23 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Order of Publication.  
Special Proposition—Masonic Temple.  
Lost's Exquisite King Powder.  
Wanted—Savvy Girl.  
Notice—W. U. B. Society.  
List's Home Liver Pills.  
Wanted—A Live Man.  
Natural Stone Filters—Barnes & McGregor.  
Notice—Woman's Hospital Association.  
Dotted Swiss Organdies—Stone & Thomas.  
Fourth Page.  
Don't Drink Such Muddy Water—Ewing Bros.  
Literary Notes—Frank Stanton.  
Summer School—Wheeling Business College.  
China Ware—John Frick & Co.  
Our Advantage—McAuley, Peters Company.

THE "VACATION" is the very newest French idea in a Sailor Hat—just out. It comes in white and all colors, are very stylish and quite nobby. There is nothing like it in the city.

LOU SWABACKER.

DO not forget the fact that the place to have your Watch, Clock and Jewelry repaired is at  
W. B. ODDEBT'S,  
South end Market Street Bridge.

NEW! NEW! NEW!

We are now in receipt of the largest and handsomest line of Foreign and Domestic Woollens ever introduced to the fine trade of Wheeling, comprising novelties in Overcoatings, Suits, Silk Vestings and fancy Pantaloonings, which we will make up in the latest style and at reasonable prices. Perfect fit guaranteed.

A general line of Gents' nobby furnishings constantly on hand. Eighth Shirt, laundered and unlaundered.  
Just received! Another invoice of imported Half Hose, in merinoes, superfine, cotton and fast black, all seamless, at 25c a pair.  
C. HESS & SONS,  
Fashionable Tailors and Gents' Furnishers, 1341 and 1343 Market Street.

IF you cannot see and need Spectacles you should call on us and have your eyes tested without charge. We have the finest instruments and more experience than any other Optician in the State, and guarantee satisfaction or money refunded.

JACOB W. GURBY,  
Jeweler and Optician,  
Corner Twelfth and Market.

In Squire Gillespie's Court.

J. W. Smith was fined \$1 and costs yesterday by Squire Gillespie for using profane language. The charge was proffered by George Burk.

Officer Herbert arrested William Watkins on commitment papers made out by Squire Gillespie, charging him with being a lunatic. Watkins was in a filthy state and was sent to jail to await examination by the proper authorities.

To-night's Concert.

The officers of the Ohio County Republican club want the ladies to understand that they are especially invited to attend the free concert at the club's rooms in the Odd Fellows' block this evening, on which occasion the excellent and varied programme printed in yesterday's INTELLIGENCER will be rendered. The performers whose names appear on it are unsurpassed among Wheeling's musical and elocutionary talent, and the hall should be crowded with ladies and gentlemen to enjoy it.

More Relics Found.

Howard Smith and Othello Gilmore were leveling what remains of the old mound in Capt. H. W. Smith's property, at Martin's Ferry, and found a skeleton, several darts and an implement, made of striped slate, from Ohio. Through the centre were two cone-shaped holes. The implement was six inches long, one and one quarter inch thick at the centre and one half inch at either end. It is highly finished and very pretty. It is as smooth as glass and is one of the most beautiful and valuable relics found in the mound. A scientist who was in Martin's Ferry during the removal of the mound said that a skeleton would be found in the southeast side, and this is where Smith found the one referred to.

Transfers Recorded.

Clerk Hook yesterday admitted to record transfers of real estate as follows:

June 5 by Jane McDonald to Smith McDonald, for \$50, two acres of land in Richland district.  
June 1 by A. S. Howell and wife to A. A. Howell, for \$5, lots 12, 13 and 14 in Howell's addition to Elm Grove.  
June 1 by David Hill and wife to Jens Peter Iverson, for \$1,000, lot 56 at Edgington.  
May 11 by Elizabeth Hyding to Daniel Rietz, for \$5, a lot on the west side of Eoff street south of Forty-fifth.  
May 8 by J. G. Frazier and wife to Emma W. Woods, for \$150, lot 9 in Frazier's subdivision of the Caldwell estate.  
June 1 by Dora L. Hornbrook to Joseph Straub, for \$1,500, part of lot 258 and all of lot 257 of Chapline's addition.  
June 1 by John A. Hess to Joseph Januszewski, for \$250, lot 12 in Hess's addition.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

A. M. Buchanan, of Morgantown, is at the McLure.  
William Edwards, of Mannington, is at the Windsor.  
Miss Emma Stephan is visiting friends at Washington, Pa.  
W. D. Jacobs, of Parkersburg, is in the city on business.  
C. R. Loomis and wife, of Sistersville, were at the Stamm yesterday.  
George Carter and wife, of Huntington, are at the Behler. They are on their wedding tour.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Brady Morgan, of Wellsburg, spent Sunday in Wheeling.

D. Engle, W. E. Dettlor, C. Thistle and W. F. Herrick, of Sistersville, were here yesterday and stopped at the popular Behler.

Ex-Officer John Short, who was on the detective force at the World's Fair, Chicago, has come home, gravely ill with rheumatism.

Rev. Mr. Chidister and wife, of Dallas, Texas, are visiting the family of Rev. Mr. Johnson, at the North Street M. E. church parsonage.

J. H. Williamson, of Willow Grove, G. A. Smith, of Hartford City, and J. D. Barting and wife, of Burton, were Behler guests yesterday.

John Christal, formerly in charge of the Baltimore & Ohio stock pens here, but who has lived on a farm east of Wheeling for some years, was in town this morning. He looks as young and hearty as he was fifteen years ago, but he says he doesn't feel as vigorous.—Bellaire Independent.

Mr. Thomas Boehm and wife, nee Miss Nellie Perry, of Keyser, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Sliffe, of the Island. Mr. Boehm was formerly a Baltimore & Ohio conductor, and one of the Wheeling boys. They will take their departure for Des Moines, Iowa, this week, where they will make their future home.

Opening of Emil Schmidt's saloon, 1531 Market street, Wednesday evening.

Water Rents Due.

Water rents for the six months ending September 30 are now ready. If paid on or before June 30 a discount of 10 per cent will be allowed.

THE CITY WATER BOARD.

## THE WORST STORM YET.

Pretty Serious Damage Done by a Heavy Rain Yesterday.

## AN OVERCHARGED SEWER BURSTS.

Teasing up the Pavements Badly. Cellars Flooded with Serious Results, and a Barber Shop Drowned Out—The Streets Again Converted into Raging Torrents—Telephone Ditches Filled.

Another storm came up yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock, which was even heavier and attended with worse results than that of Sunday. Though it did not last so long, more rain fell, and the damage resulting was much more serious.

In a few minutes the yellow flood covered Twelfth street east of Market from curb to curb and on Market southward to Sixteenth the street was a river several inches deep. The ditches for the telephone conduits, which were flooded with water and mud on Sunday, were left in bad condition, but had been nearly cleaned out when they were again filled up early in the progress of yesterday's rain. This is not only a serious annoyance and delay in the work, but costly as well.

At the alley south of Twelfth street the ditch and the opening where a man-hole was put in had been filled with fresh earth, and this was soon softened by the water. A colored man driving a horse hitched to a wagon got the animal into this hole, and its efforts to extricate itself only made its situation worse. It required the efforts of several men for some time to get it out, and then it nearly got back again. The accident attracted a large crowd in the rain.

The sewer on the north side of Twelfth street quickly choked up, as usual. From the sudden bend at Main street the water backed up the street and ran out the opening in front of Gaus's barber shop, under the Franklin insurance building. It was not long until a foot or two of the thick yellow filth had run all over the floor.

Even more serious damage than this resulted. The immense weight of water forced its way up through the ground over the burst sewer at the Main street corner, where a break was made the day before, and the sidewalk was torn all to pieces for a long distance. Even in the middle of the street the cobblestone pavement and the brick pavement below were loosened by the water, which spurted out of the ground like a geyser. In the meeting of the streets, alleys and grades committee last night Mr. Milligan brought up this matter, but the committee took no action.

The water ran into the cellars of the Hotel VanKeuren, Dinger Brothers and D. Gundling's, on the other side of Twelfth street, in great volume. Mr. VanKeuren had nothing in the cellar that was damaged, and Mr. Gundling's damage was not large. The Messrs. Dinger did not fare so well. They had a large number of straw hats in the cellar, and these were ruined. Their loss will run from \$300 to \$500.

At L. S. Delaplaine & Co.'s the storm beat in the uncovered building, but all hands worked hard, and the damage was slight.

All over town sidewalks were covered with slimy mud and piles of earth and sand were left on the streets. Sewers were choked up, and for a time the streets were many of them practically impassable.

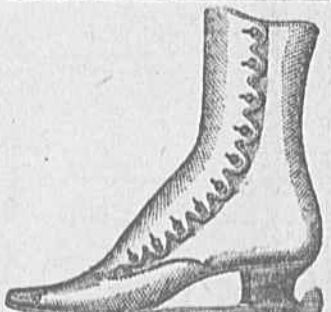
The most notable silk sale Wheeling has ever seen is now in progress at Geo. M. Snook & Co's.

Thorough hungry as a bear Pettijohn's Breakfast Food will satisfy you. It has no equal.

EMIL SCHMIDT's saloon, 1531 Market street, grand opening Wednesday evening. Elegant soup and lunch.

Just Received.  
A full assortment of Gents' Russia Calf and Patent Leather Shoes, all the leading shapes.  
L. V. BLOND.

**DON'T BE ROBBED!**  
WHEN YOU CAN BUY  
**CLIMAX BAKING POWDER**  
PUREST AND BEST,  
AT LESS THAN  
— HALF —  
THE PRICE OF OTHER BRANDS.  
POUNDS 20 + HALVES 10 + QUARTERS 5¢  
SOLD IN CANS ONLY.



A HOME FAVORITE!  
OUR \$2.00  
Ladies' Button Shoes.

We have them in all widths, with heels and Spring Heels, Patent Leather Tips and plain Toes. Custom made, and the price is only

— \$2.00 —  
FOR ELEGANT SHOES. They look well and will give splendid service. TRY A PAIR.  
**O'KANE & CO.,**  
1113 Main Street.

THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

## THERE IS A BALANCE!

## NOT A FEATHERWEIGHT ONE.

A balance that we can make perfectly clear to well-balanced minds, when we are able to show people, as we are day by day, that we can SAVE THEM MONEY we gain their patronage and in time the patronage of their neighbors.

## Light Summer Suits

as applied to our stock means much. It means that we can fit you as perfectly as any tailor can fit you in the same quality and save you from

## Five to Fifteen Dollars on a Suit.

## ONE WORD AS TO THE PRICE.

The matchless bargains (on paper) so liberally advertised, have not in the least affected our more than usually large Spring trade. The people seem to know without telling that a house of the standing of ours would not allow itself to be undersold by any, and the people have rightly judged. Take any suit we offer and compare it fully, honestly, critically with one at the same price sold elsewhere, and ours will always more than equal it. Some matchless values this week between

\* \$10 AND \$18. \*

## Of Children's Suits

we have the choice stock of the town. Our cute and nobby styles and the immense variety of them that we show are attracting a constantly increasing business. We still have a few of those Special Bargains in OUTFIT CLOTH BLOUSES for children at 11c; also a few more CHILDREN'S PANTS at 11c.

Our line of COLORED SHIRTS at 50c surprises everyone who has seen them. Nothing like them in the city for a third more money. Special Low Prices will rule every day this week at

## THE HUB,

One-Price Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

Market and Fourteenth Streets.

HOME FURNISHERS—HOUSE &amp; HERRMANN.

## HOUSE &amp; HERRMANN.

\$22.00

—FOR—

\* \$2. \*

A very good investment, you will agree; such, however, you can make by trading at our store, where we sell Twenty-two Dollars worth of

Furniture,  
Carpets and  
Household Goods

For Two Dollars cash and One Dollar per week.

## HOUSE &amp; HERRMANN,

1300 MAIN STREET.